

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH  
A B S T R A C T

A.P. Medical & Health Services – Constitution of Screening Committee for selection of District Medical & Health Officers – Orders – Issued.

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HEALTH, MEDICAL & FAMILY WELFARE (B1) DEPARTMENT

**G.O.Rt.No. 130**

**Dated: 30-12-2009.**

Read:-

Minutes of the meeting on Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department chaired by the Hon'ble Chief Minister dated 03-11-2009.

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**ORDER:-**

In a meeting held by Hon'ble Chief Minister on Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department on 03-11-2009 among other issues it was observed that the leadership and competency of DM&HO is pivotal in programme and disease management. However, in the absence of proper screening procedures a number of inexperienced and unsuitable candidates are holding these key posts seriously affecting the health care and delivery of services and consequently the Government image.

2. The Government in order to streamline the posting of District Medical & Health Officers (DM&HOs) hereby constitute a Screening Committee with the following Members:-

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| 1) Principal Secretary to Government (Health),<br>Health, Medical & Family Welfare Department,<br>A.P. Secretariat, Hyderabad | Chairman &<br>Convenor |
| 2) Commissioner of Family Welfare,<br>A.P., Hyderabad   | .. Member              |
| 3) Director of Health,<br>A.P., Hyderabad   | .. Member              |

3. The above Screening Committee will shortlist a panel of 30 names of Civil Surgeons annually and propose the list for consideration while issuing postings as District Medical & Health Officers with a principle that no Officer would be posted in their native Districts.

The following guidelines may be adopted by the Screening Committee for preparation of the panel of DM&HOs:-

- a) to examine the candidature from vigilance angle. Persons having no disciplinary proceedings against them and not indulged in any kind of moral turpitude only shall be considered.
- b) those who have a field experience in the capacity of Dy. DM&HO/Addl.DM&HO shall be considered.
- c) preference be given to those who have a Diploma/Degree in Public Health.
- d) seniority shall also be taken into account.

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e) native district of the candidate shall invariably be mentioned against his name in the panel to avoid being posted there.

f) Candidates with aptitude / knowledge for Public Health be given preference

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

**P.V.RAMESH**  
**SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT**

To  
The Commissioner of Family Welfare, A.P., Hyderabad  
The Director of Health, A.P., Hyderabad  
The O.S.D. to Minister (Health & Family Welfare)  
The P.S. to Principal Secretary (JS)  
The P.S. to Principal Secretary (Health)  
The Principal Secretary to CM (KR)  
SF/SCs.

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**Section Officer**